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One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,652,764 issued July 29, 1997.
2. European Patent Application Publication No. 0 813 313, published December 17, 1997.
3. Lin Yue, "Analysis of Generalized Selection Combining Techniques", VTC 2000, IEEE 51st Vehicular Technology Conference Proceedings, (May 15-18, 2000), pp. 1191-1195.
4. U.S. Patent No. 5,842,037 issued November 24, 1998.

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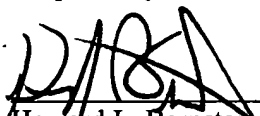
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